

**Seawall Park Subcommittee (SPS) RFQ Report
Submitted Jan 15, 2018**

The SPS met on Jan 8, 2018 to score the two applications that were submitted for the RFQ. The two applicants were Jay Davenney and David Price. Following detailed discussion of the two applications, they were scored according to the criteria specified in the RFQ. Although both applicants are talented designers with a strong history of credible local projects, David Price's application received the highest score.

Mr. Price is a highly qualified local architect and the SPS recommends that the POS recommend him to the City Council as the designer for Seawall Park.

Assuming that the POS and the City Council approve the selection of Mr. Price, we envision our process in the next few months to be:

- Meet as a committee to discuss the rough design submitted by Mr. Price. Although he didn't intend it as a complete design, since this was an RFQ not an RFP, it was clear from our brief discussion that there are aspects of it that we would like to see changed. We want to meet to come up with a unified list of suggestions/recommendations for changes to the design.
- We would then invite Mr. Price to come to our next meeting (hopefully the March meeting) and discuss our feedback and his ideas.
- Mr. Price would use the feedback, the specifications in the RFQ document, and his own aesthetic and ideas to come up with his design.
- After this would come the public comment period, design modification and processes leading to final approval by POS and the council.

We appreciate any feedback/suggestions the POS might have on our work and look forward to completing the design phase of this project.

Respectfully,

Sharon Emerson, Chair
Seawall Park Subcommittee